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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Kurt RYF *et al.*

Application No. 09/879,187

Filed: June 13, 2001

For: FUNCTIONAL HIGH-ENERGETIC
MATERIAL

Confirmation No.: 3997

Art Unit: 1755

Examiner: A. B. FELTON

Atty. Docket No. 39021-172671

Customer No.

26694

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop: Non-Fee Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This AMENDMENT is presented in response to the Office Action of August 29, 2006.

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FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2006		Complete if Known		
		Application Number	09/879,187-Conf. #3997	
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Filing Date	June 13, 2001	
		First Named Inventor	Kurt RYF et al.	
		Examiner Name	A. B. Felton	
		Art Unit	1755	
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	(\$)	0.00	Attorney Docket No.	39021-172671

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

☐ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ None ☐ Other (please identify): _____

☒ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 22-0261 Deposit Account Name: Venable LLP

For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee

☒ Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 ☒ Credit any overpayments

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Multiple Dependent Claims

Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)

4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): _____

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